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SABOT

[pronounced sah-bow -- french]

1. A device that fits over the base of a bullet that allows it to be fired through the barrel of a larger bore rifle 2. Also A wooden shoe.

In this example, A 22 caliber bullet saboted for a 30 caliber rifle

It is possible that in the JFK assassination, 6.5 MM bullets were fired through the LHO rifle into a water recovery tank. The bullets then recovered and saboted for a larger bore rifle. When fired, any bullets or fragments large enough to have barrel markings would then be identified as having been fired from the smaller bore rifle.

TWO EXAMPLES OF SABOTS

Remington introduces
the fastest factory-loaded cartridge ever made.

The "Accelerator"

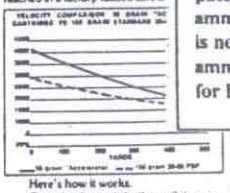
Remington's revolutionary new "Accelerator" will barrel out of a 30-06 at an astonishing 4,080 feet per second. No factory-loaded cartridge in the world can give you velocity so high. Or a trajectory so flat.

The new Remington "Accelerator" cartridge gives your bolt or pump 30-06 rifle higher velocity, flatter trajectory and greater accuracy and actually converts your big game rifle to a flat-shooting, high performance varmint rifle (single-shot operation only in autoloading rifles).

The secret is the sabot – a spe... designed component made of extr... plastic that lets us put a .224 caliber... a 30-06 caliber case. We use the lu... the larger cartridge case to drive th... bullet at an incredible speed – new... reached in a factory-loaded cartrid...

How fast is fast?
Compare some numbers and you'll see what we mean. The "Accelerator" has a 55 grain Pointed Soft Point bullet that leaves a 24-inch barrel at 4,080 feet per second – over 1,170 fps faster than a standard 150 grain Pointed Soft Point "Core-Lokt" 30-06. In fact, an "Accelerator" bullet has more velocity 200 yards down range than the 30-06 bullet has at the muzzle. That's fast.

How flat is flat?
Compare again. Our "Accelerator" bullet carries about 10 inches less than the...



Here's how it works.
The sabot has six little "fingers" that grip the bullet as it travels down the bore and impart full rifling twist for stable, accurate flight. These fingers start peeling back as soon as the bullet leaves the muzzle. Bullet and sabot part company 14 inches from the muzzle. It all happens in less than a thousandth of a second.

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The Remington "Accelerator" was patented in 1965 and sold as loaded ammunation in 1977. The "Accelerator" is not available now as loaded ammunitiion. The sabot is available for handloading.

HORNADY SABOTS WITH BULLETS

Hornady Sabots with Bullets are packaged primarily for second season hunters who ... from their regul... or lubri... rmance Horn... re desi... d bullet in yo... le-shot killin...

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Hornady sabot

The Hornady sabot is currently available for muzzleloading rifles.

To load, bullet must first be seated in sabot bottom. Push loaded sabot into muzzle with thumb. Seat with ramrod making sure that the sabot is firmly seated against powder charge. The sabot is not fragile, and will not push through. These sabots will closely fit the bore of your rifle. Since there are no standards for muzzleloading firearms, you may encounter some tight fits. Cleaning between shots is required with sabots to prevent plastic buildup and to help ensure proper seating depth. The use in firearms with bores significantly larger or smaller than sabot diameter will hurt performance.

Be sure to sight in your firearm before hunting, since a sabot will have different flight characteristics than a lead round ball or a conical black powder bullet. Sabots with bullets shoot significantly better in firearms with 1-48" or faster twist barrels. Barrels with a longer "round ball" twist (approx. 1-66") may not stabilize the bullet.

REORDERING INFORMATION

SABOTS WITH BULLETS

Order#	Caliber
6710	45 cal. With 38-158 HP-XTP
6720	50 cal. With 44-240 HP-XTP
6730	54 cal. With 44-265 FP

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